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Sensation Sprung In Case to Determine Parentage of Alice J. Farrar.

The most sensational feature in the case to determine whether Alice J. Farrar, five years old, is the daughter of Ada B. J. Farrar Sheridan, who was employed in the General Land Office for twenty-eight years on the theory that she was single, was developed today before Justice aDn Thew Wright, in Equity Court, No. 2, by Mrs. Etta G Shields- Read, sister of the alleged mother, who said that Thomas P. Sheridan, who has been named as father dan, who has been named as father of the child, proposed to elope with her. The litigation is over an estate worth about \$,500 left by Mrs. Sheridan, letters of administration having been granted in Prince George county, Md., to interests friendly to Mrs. Shields-Read, while similar letters have been granted by the District Supreme Court to Mr. Sheridan, who claims to be the woman's husband. The Maryland court also appaointed Mrs. Shields-Read guardian of the little girl.

Question Of Jurisdiction.

Justice Wright made it plain at the outset today that the only question before him was that of jurisdiction, that is, whether the estate of Mrs. Sheridan, who died at Landover, Md., should be administered under the direction of the District or Maryland courts. How-

the District or Maryland courts. How-over, other questions crept into the tes-timony.

Mrs. Shields-Reid said, that Sheridan had admitted to her that he had been married before he wedded her sister, Miss Farrar, whose estate is the ob-ject of litigation. Also she charged that one one occasion he proposed to her that they elope. She was heavily velled in black and appeared in mourn-ing for her sister, who died Septem-ber 3.

Sheridan admitted today that

Sheridan admitted today that he rad Sheridan admitted today that he radbeen arrested several times, but said that each time he had forfelted his bonds rather than court publicity. He said that he had been guilty eacr time of ejecting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Shields-Reid, from his home, 501 Stanton place, after she had intruded. Once, he testified, she appeared and smasred in windows when refused admittance.

Denies Elopement Story. He denied with laughter, that was suppressed by the court, that he had offered to elope with his sister-in-law. Attorney E. L. Gles introduced, while Attorney E. L. Gies introduced, while Sheridan was on the stand, a record of the General Land Office, tending to show that Mrs. Sheridan had been absent from her duty only four days at one time during the first six months of 1907, when the Farrar girl is alleged to have been born. During those four days, Sheridan testified, she attended a woman's single tax convention.

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Mrs. Shields-Read testified that the girl was born in April. 1907, and that next day her mother went to work!

the General Land Office. She said that shortly afterward she and her sister arranged a scheme whereby the child should be left on the doorstep of their home. This was done, she claims.

Copies of the bulletin from the Census
Bureau giving statistics of manufactures and industries in the District of Columbia were today distributed to all fourth grade teachers of the city.

The are only three permanent jurors in the box; Lisk, Green, and Bain. Three tentative jurors have been passed by both sides of whom Sexton may be clark McLain, a Pasedena banker, who holds to the gas theory and considers fourth grade teachers of the city. The defense will eliminate Major Brews-These bulletins will be used by teachers cause it is discovered he is a great admirer of Detective Burns.

The defense will eliminate Major Brewster Kenyon, a millionaire oil man, because it is discovered he is a great admirer of Detective Burns. as guides to the study of the District's industries being undertaken by pupils

The first factory visited by school children was that of Corby's bakery. This was followed by the construction of miniature reproductions of the plant in pasteboard and other similar materials. Compositions on the "Life Story of a Loaf of Bread" also were written

by pupils.

Some of the reproductions of the fac-

Some of the reproductions of the fac-tory show bags of flour, hoppers, storage rooms and other accessories of the fac-tory.

In the near future the Chapin-Sacks plant is to be visited, and later an in-spection of the Union Station will be made.

Subpoenas Served For Trial of Packers

CHICAGO, Nov. 13 .- While prepara-

tions were being made for a new grand fury investigation of the Beef trust, United States marshals are busy serving subpoenas on witnesses today for ten millionaire Chicago packers. After nine years of investigation into the Beef trust, the packers will be placed on trial next Monday before Judge George A. Carpenter in the United States district court, on criminal charges of pursuing a scheme to monopolize and restrain interstate trade in fresh meats, in violation of the Sher-man anti-trust law.

The penalty which may be inflicted in the event of conviction, is a fine of \$5,000, a sentence of one year in the county jail, or both.

Great Demonstration In Honor of de la Barra

MEXICO CITY, via GALVESTON, Tex., Nov. 13.-Senor Don Francisco de la Barra, one time President, has departed from Vera Cruz for Italy. where he will present the thanks of fexico's government for Italy's part in

the centennial of 1910.

School children lined the wharf and showered Senor de la Barra and his wife with flowers. Several small vessels carrying excursionists accompanied the Champagne, aboard which the counter were passengers, several miles couple were passengers, several miles out to sea. Vera Cruz dispatches say the demonstration has rarely been equaled in that port. Triumphal arches span the streets in the downtown sec-tion.

Here at the capital the city is illuminated, while thousands attended a fireworks display In the Zocialo in cele-bration of General Madero's election.

Nurse Shoots Doctor For Breach of Faith

MARIPOSA, Cal., Nov. 13.-Dr. F. L. Wright, county physician of Maripose a year ago and a prominent physician in Oakland, lies at home here in a precarious condition as a result of a gun-

carious condition as a result of a gun-shot wound inflicted by Miss Elsie Frank, an Oakland nurse.

Miss Frank is in jail. Dr. Wright was divorced in Oakland a year ago and later Miss Frank became a nurse in his office. She charges he promised to marry her. A month ago he married Miss Georgia Ellingham.

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SHERIDAN PROPOSED CONGRESS GROWS MORE EXCLUSIVE

Lawmakers to Have Private Dining Rooms in Order to Get Away From Public Gaze—High Prices Still to Reign.

trying to get more and more from out ing room being finished. This is just of the public eye when they eat their across the corridor from the restaurant.

of the public eye when they eat their meals. They cannot stand the gaze of the proletariat.

Evidence of this growing desire for exclusiveness is seen in the arrangements for meals which are being perfected in the Senate and House ends of the Capitol. Wise men who are accustomed to ponder on the signs of the times will see in these arrangements asymptom that Senators and Representatives are setting forther and forther and forther and forther and forther area. tatives are getting farther and farther away from the plain people, and losing their democratic simplicity.

House's Arrangement.

The House is going to have a private bers of the court have their lunches dining room for its members, into the brought to them in the conference room. dining room for its members, into the sacred precincts of which an ordinary mortal cannot venture unless he uses a jimmy. The same sort of an arrangement is being made in the Senate wing. In the House restaurant there long have been rooms supposed to be used only by members of the House, their families, or invited guests. The 'I we restaurant now is being overhauled, and, in addition to the rooms where they could eat formerly, there will be, across the corridor, a room that is especially select.

The Senate, which is Republican, is just as exclusive as the House in this or brought to them in the conference room. They are mostly simple lunches. Trusts are smashed, and other big things done, or bread and milk or bread and crackers, or even that ancient standby—pie and coffee. High prices still will reign in the Seante cafe, despite the fact the Rules Committee fixes the prices. The committee, however, never depresses the figures so that the restaurateur can bring suit for confiscation of property under the Constitution. Over on the House side they are going to have a junch counter, so that a man who has just as exclusive as the House in this select.
The Senate, which is Republican, is just as exclusive as the House in this matter of lunching and dining. On the

FIFTH JURY PANEL

Only Three Permanent Mem-

bers Selected When Trial

Is Reconvened.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 13.-With

Otis and the Times.

Motion Picture Firm

book was decided today affirmatively by

the Supreme Court of the United States.

The case in which the opinion was

handed down was that of the Kalem Company, which makes moving picture films, against Harper & Brothers, Klaw & Erlanger and Henry L. Wallace, who hold the literary and dramatic rights of General Lew Wallace's famous novel,

General Lew Wallace's famous novel,
"Ben Hur."

The Kalem Company advertised moving pictures of "Ben Hur" in sixteen occues. In 1908 they were warned by Harper & Brothers, who hold the rights from the author, that these moving pictures were in violation of the dramatic rights to the book which were sold to Klaw & Erlanger. The case was taken into the courts where an injunction was asked against the Kalem Company. This was granted and appeal was taken into the Supreme Court of the United States.

The attempt of Kentucky to levy taxes upon ocean-going steamers of the

Southern Pacific railroad, although

Railroad's Ships

Kentucky Can Tax

The Senate and the House both are | Senate side there is a new private din-

Justices More Simple.

of the United States doesn't go to much fuss in this matter of meals. The members of the court have their lunches bers of the court have their lunches to be pushed from the moment the contract can be let and the contractor can get his men started. That the new building will be completed within the next sixteen months is the expectation. It is the purpose of except macVeagh to have it done by not the end of this administration. Secretary MacVeagh returns this parties of the contract for guittee, however, never depresses the figures so that the restaurateur can bring suit for confiscation of property under the Constitution. Over on the House side they are going to have a lunch counter, so that a man who has only 10 cents to spend can at least get a lookain. Singularly enough, the Supreme Court

CATHOLIC HOME FOR IN M'NAMARA CASE **NEARS EXHAUSTION**

Dedication Will Be Attended By Prominent Clerics and Lay Members.

only seven veniremen of the fifth panel remaining available, the attorneys in tormally opened and dedicated tomorthe McNamara murder trial today resumed trying to secure twelve impartial jurors. When court reconvened today District Attorney Fredericks resumed interrogation of Alexander Gribling. eassed for cause Friday, but whom the home, but will be unable to attend. State now wants to eliminate because ne has a strong prejudice against General Juror Sexton also asked the court to be excused because his brother is dying and Judge Bordwell took the matter under advisement. If the condition of Sex-

only 10 cents to spend can at least get a look-in.

for the home at 1438 N street northwest. Prominent Catholic clergymen will participate in the ceremonies. Cardinal Gibbons had planned to dedicate the The home will be in the building occupied for generations by the girls' school of the Misses Kerr. A reunion of former pupils will mark the dedication ceremonies tomorrow. Many of the students have contributed funds to establish the home, where in antebellum days, and until a few years ago, some of the most prominent young women of the Capital were educated. who need ald in their declining years.

At 3 o'clock tomorrow the dec

ROOSEVELT MAY BE ASKED TO NAME THE NEW YORK SPEAKER SOON WILL BE LET

Taft Would Be Found Embarrassing.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 13.-Former The Treasury Department is hopeful hat the construction work on the new President Roosevelt, by indirection, building for the Bureau of Engraving probably, will be called upon to name and Printing soon will be under way. the next speaker for the New York Milano, wife of the Italian shoemaker on Wednesday of this week bids are to general assembly, which the Republic-charged with the murder of Harry Elton be opened on this new structure. Just ans carried in the recent elections. when the contract will be let depends Up-State Republican leaders declared this amount was contributed by the

on whether any complications arise with respect to the bids. It is the intention of Secretary Mac- that he would be placed in a most em- day, as she intends to do, but if she Veagh however, to let the contract at barrassing position by so doing. The stays on in Washington it will be given the earliest possible day after the bids Chief Executive desires a solid New to her in installments of \$5 a week. York delegation to the Republican con-

Laud President Taft

For Lomax Reprieve

Praise for President Taft for signing the reprieve for Mattle Lomax was ac-

corded the Chief Executive at the col-

ored churches of Washington Sunday.

At the Cosmopolitan Baptist Church the

Rev. S. P. Drew reviewed the history

of the fight in the Lomax woman's be-

The colored clergyman also spoke of

The colored clergyman also spoke of the mass meetings to come in behalf of the woman condemned to hang for the murder of her husband. These meet-ings will be as follows: November 14, Mt. Moriah Baptist Church; November 22, John Wesley A. M. E. Church; No-vember 24, Central Methodist Episcopal Church. November 30, Thanksgiving mass meeting at Cosmopolitan Baptist Church.

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Tall Men and Women

dnel Roosevelt will deliver a Taft delegation to the national convention President Taft will refuse to name a Barnes man as speaker, but will instead see to it that a Roosevelt man is named.

Republican up-State leaders believe firmly Taft will line up with Roosevelt on the speakership. Although Roosevelt has declared he is not waging a war on Barnes, the leaders point to his past performances as indicating his future acts.

Then, too, they point out, President Taft can hardly align himself with an "old guard" leader like Barnes in New York, and dally with the progressive leaders in the West. By so doing, they say, he would lay himself open to charges of insincerity. It is pointed out that when Roosevelt and Barnes were fightnig last year, Taft threw all his support to the progressives and aided materially in their victory.

Student Balloonists Rescued From Peril

CLAREMONT, N. H., Nov. 13.-Their allocn bumping the tops of forest trees where their anchor had caught, three Williams College students were discovered ty farmers of Unity and rescued from their dangerous position. After sime of the smaller trees had

After some of the smaller trees had been cut away the aeronauts were able to slide down their anchor rope.

The sky voyagers were H. Percy Shearman, former president of the Williams College Aeronautical Society and pilot of the balloons, the Stevens 21, H. pilot of the balloon, the Stevens 21, H. Jones, of New York city. The ascensionwas made from Pittsfield, Mass., seventy-seven miles from Unity.

Marriage of Platt's Widow Is Confirmed

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.-The report that Mrs. Lillian Janeway Platt, widow United States Senator Platt, was married a week ago to William B. Atwater, an aviator of Central Valley. was confirmed by Edgar Felton, justice of the peace, who married the couple at Suffern.

Mrs. Platt at first denied the report when it came out on Saturday at Sprin Valley. It had been agreed that the marriage was to be kept a secret until today, when Atwater and his bride expect to start for California.

May Nominate Leader Of Southern Society

Nominations for president may be received tonight at a special business at the entrance for all men and all meeting of the Southern Society of the women, who are six feet tall. They are the home. A matron soon will be se- District, at the offices of Creed M. Ful- to be admitted to the show free, and cured and plans made to care for others ton, in the Colorado building. Speaker the inducement is expected to attract Champ Clark is now first vice presi- hundreds.

ITALIAN SOCIETY SUBSCRIBES \$50 TO ASSIST MRS. MILANO

Go to Brooklyn Next Sunday.

Fifty dollars has been subscribed by the Societa Unione E Fratellanza Italiana for the benefit of Mrs. Fortunata Smith. At a meeting of the society today that President Taft would be members. It will be given to her in called upon to name the speaker, and full if she goes to Brooklyn next Sun-Mrs. Milano is no longer at 206 Canal vention, and State Chairman William Barnes, jr., of the "Old Guard," is willing to deliver it to him, it is said.

At the same time, Republican leaders said, Colonel Roosevelt's support is necessary to the success of Taft's aspirations, and they predict that if Colonel Roosevelt will deliver a Taft delegation to the national convention Presentations. vention, and State Chairman William street. She is now at 126 D street south-

ARGUMENTS IN THE COTTERILL DIVORCE **ACTION CONTINUED**

Bids to Be Oepned Wednes- Pointed Out That Task for Wife of Alleged Slayer May Motion to Dismiss Will Be Heard November 22 By Justice Wright.

Arguments on the motion to dismiss the absolute divorce proceedings in the case of Charles A. Cotterill against Mrs. Henry Garland Cotterill, were continued to November 22 by Justice Wright in Equity Court No. 2 today, at the request of counsel for the defend-ant.

the request of counsel for the defendant.

The motion is that the suit should be dismissed on the ground that Mr. Cotterill sought to evade the District laws, and went to Maryland and was married a second time after he had been adjuged the "guilty" party in the divorce suit won by his first wife. The second marriage to the woman he is now suing for divorce was within a week after he had been divorced in the District Supermeter Court.

Attorney E. L. Gies contends that the motion will not carry. Attorney W. Earl Ambrose made the motion to dismiss, basing his claim on the code which prohibts the "guilty" party in a divorce case from remarrying within the District of Columbia.

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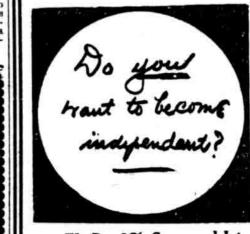
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To secure a president not identified with any political or other faction is desired by the majority of the society. At the meeting tonight plans also will be made for the annual meeting of the society entry in December.

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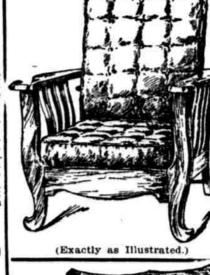
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